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In re U.S. Patent Application of

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For: PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR REMOVING  
OF RESIDUES FROM THE  
MICROSTRUCTURE AN OBJECT

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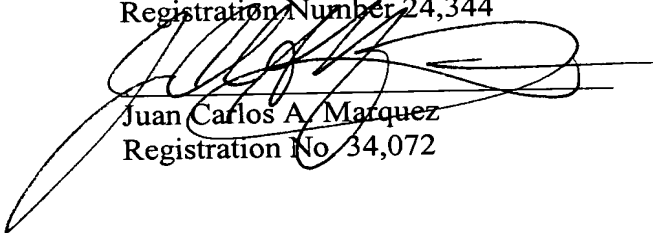
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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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This is in response to the Office Action mailed on February 17, 2005, the period of response to which is set to expire on May 17, 2005. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

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